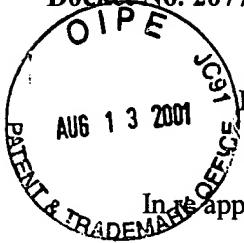


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In re application of: Mashburn, W. et al

Application No.: 09/870, 191

Group No.: 3725

Filed: May 30, 2001

Examiner: Unknown

For: DEVICE AND PROCESS FOR PULVERIZING SOLID MATERIALS

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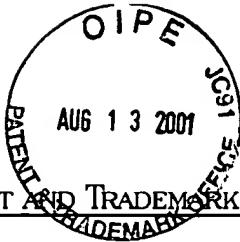
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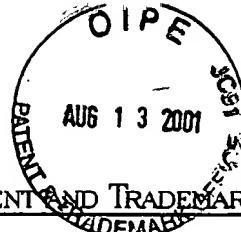
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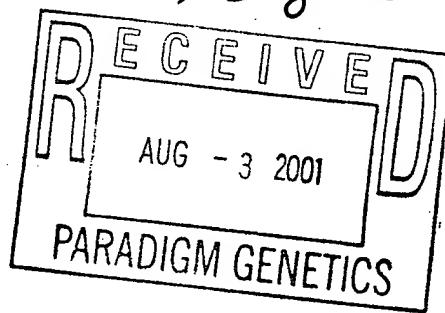
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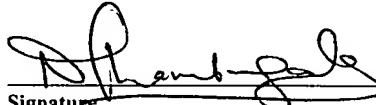
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